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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)

Applicant(s): MICHAEL D. BEDNAREK

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Small Entity status of this application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27 by a verified statement previously submitted.
- A verified statement to establish Small Entity status under 37 FR 1.27 is enclosed.

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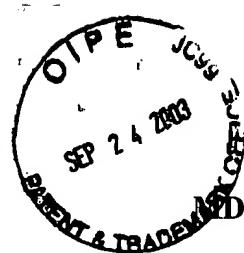
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This is a full and timely response to the Office Action mailed April 24, 2003. A petition for a two month extension of time is submitted herewith along with the appropriate extension fee, thereby extending the period for response to September 24, 2003. Any extensions of time necessary to prevent abandonment is hereby requested, and any fee necessary for consideration of this response is hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account Number 50-1390.

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Amendments to the Claims: reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.

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